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(TEXT) THE CONFERENCE HAS ALSO ISSUED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS:

THE KINGS AND PRESIDENTS OF THE ARAB LEAGUE, AT THEIR MEETING IN CAIRO AT ARAB LEAGUE HEADQUARTERS ON 25-26 OCTOBER 1976, AFTER HAVING STUDIED THE PRESENT SITUATION IN LEBANON, THE OUTCOME OF THE SIX-NATION ARAB SUMMIT IN RIYADH AND ITS RESOLUTIONS ISSUED ON 18 OCTOBER 1976, AND THE IMPORTANCE OF STRENGTHENING ARAB SOLIDARITY, HAVE DECIDED THE FOLLOWING:

I. PRESENT SITUATION IN LEBANON:

1. TO ENDORSE THE STATEMENT, RESOLUTIONS AND ADDENDA ISSUED BY THE SIX-NATION ARAB SUMMIT CONFERENCE IN RIYADH ON 18 OCTOBER 1976.

2. THAT THE ARAB COUNTRIES, EACH ACCORDING TO ITS CAPABILITY, CONTRIBUTE TO THE RECONSTRUCTION OF LEBANON AND PROVIDE THE NECESSARY MATERIAL MEANS TO REMOVE THE EFFECTS OF THE ARMED STRUGGLE AND THE DAMAGES SUFFERED BY THE LEBANESE AND PALESTINIAN PEOPLES, AND THAT THE ARAB COUNTRIES PROVIDE URGENT ASSISTANCE TO THE LEBANESE GOVERNMENT AND THE PLO.

II STRENGTHENING ARAB SOLIDARITY:

TO CONFIRM THE COMMITMENT OF ARAB KINGS AND PRESIDENTS TO THE PROVISION OF THE RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY VARIOUS SUMMIT CONFERENCES AND THE ARAB LEAGUE COUNCIL IN THIS REGARD--ESPECIALLY THE ARAB SOLIDARITY CONVENTION ISSUED BY THE CASABLANCA SUMMIT CONFERENCE ON 15 SEPTEMBER 1965--AND TO WORK AT PUTTING ALL THESE RESOLUTIONS INTO EFFECT COMPLETELY AND IMMEDIATELY.

III(FINANCING THE ARAB PEACE-KEEPING FORCE:

THE ARAB SUMMIT CONFERENCE, IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE FINANCIAL RESOURCES NECESSARY FOR THE ARAB PEACE-KEEPING FORCES IN LEBANON AS PROVIDED FOR IN RESOLUTION 2 OF THE RIYADH SUMMIT, AND AFTER TAKING COGNIZANCE OF WHAT THE ARAB LEAGUE'S MILITARY SECRETARIAT SAID IN THIS REGARD, HAS DECIDED THE FOLLOWING:

1. TO ESTABLISH A SPECIAL FUND TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE ARAB SECURITY FORCE IN LEBANON.

2. EACH ARAB LEAGUE MEMBER-STATE WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE FUND WITH A PERCENTAGE TO BE DETERMINED BY EACH STATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS CAPABILITIES.

3. THE LEBANESE PRESIDENT WILL SUPERVISE THE FUND AND WILL, BY CONSULTING WITH THE ARAB LEAGUE SECRETARIAT GENERAL AND THOSE STATES THAT HAVE AT LEAST A 10 PERCENT PARTICIPATION IN THE FUND, PROMULGATE GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR THE FUND THAT WILL OUTLINE EXPENDITURES AND THE MEANS OF LIQUIDATION WHEN THE PERIOD ENDS. THE LEBANESE PRESIDENT WILL FOLLOW THE CURRENT REGULATIONS OF THE ARAB SECURITY FORCE UNTIL SUCH TIME WHEN NEW REGULATIONS WILL BE PROMULGATED.

4. THE PERIOD OF THE FUND WILL BE 6 MONTHS, RENEWABLE IN ACCORDANCE WITH A DECISION TO BE ISSUED BY THE ARAB LEAGUE COUNCIL, WHICH WILL MEET AT THE REQUEST OF THE LEBANESE PRESIDENT.

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